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As of Wednesday afternoon, registered Massachusetts voters have cast 1,973,661 ballots for the presidential election -- that's 41% of the state's electorate.

Among individual towns, however, the turnout rate varies widely. In 89 communities, turnout through early voting or mail-in voting is over 50% so far, while six still have rates below 20%.

The Secretary of the Commonwealth on Wednesday also updated the number of registered voters in Massachusetts, which grew from 4.66 million for the September primary election to a new total of 4.81 million. Election data shows 4.53 million voters were registered for the 2016 presidential election.

Top 10 communities by turnout:

1. Eastham: 67.06%

2. Lexington: 65.91%

3. Concord: 64.95%

4. Sudbury: 64.01%

5. Lincoln: 63.61%

6. Carlisle: 62.68%

7. Acton: 61.95%

8. Needham: 61.52%

9. Wayland: 60.79%

10. Orleans: 60.68%

Once every 24-48 hours, the Secretary of the Commonwealth's office publishes information about the number of ballots received so far.